



REMARKS

Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested. The amendment is made in adherence with rules 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825. This amendment is accompanied by a floppy disc containing SEQUENCE ID NUMBER 1 in computer readable form, and a paper copy of the sequence information. The information contained in the computer readable disc is identical to that of the paper copy. This amendment contains no new matter. Applicant submits that this amendment, the accompanying computer readable sequence listing, and the paper copy thereof serve to place this application in a condition of adherence to the rules of rules 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825.

Should any unresolved issues remain, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Preliminary Amendment and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: November 8, 2004

By: Lauren L. Stevens
Lauren L. Stevens
Reg. No. 36,691